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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

Lions Club Reports Activities Achieved

The Pahokee Lions Club has chalked up an outstanding record of activities and achievement during the past six months under the leadership of President Manning I. Keen, according to biannual reports given by standing committee chairmen at the Tuesday luncheon meeting.

Projects sponsored by the club or special achievements brought to a successful conclusion since July 1, 1948, total 28, according to the reports given. These include various projects such as the community Christmas party, the pick up of toys and the distribution of Christmas baskets, the promotion of school athletics, sight conservation and work for the blind, continued construction of the swimming pool, assistance in financing the Halloween parties for children of Pahokee and many other activities in the interest of community welfare. The club also ran up a good attendance record through the six-months period, including 100 per cent attendance at one meeting in October.

WSCS Held A Board Meeting

At an executive board meeting of the Pahokee First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service, held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hugo Boe, the names of the three adults and the three infants to receive WSCS life memberships from the society next month were announced.

Mrs. R. J. Schroder, chairman of the committee in charge of selecting the names of the honorees, reported that one member from each circle had been selected to receive a life membership as follows: Mrs. I. M. Lair, Gertrude Shirley Circle; Mrs. J. R. York, Simonson-Lair Circle, and Mrs. D. W. Cunningham, Mary Martha Circle. The three infants chosen to receive life memberships from the society were Margaret Jane Cushman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund F. Cushman; John Andrew Spencer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spencer, and Bonnie Jeanne Frasure, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Frasure, Jr. Life memberships will also be given to Alice Elaine Hurt by her mother, Mrs. R. F. Hurt, and to Myra Ruth Frasure, by her mother, Mrs. I. J. Frasure, Jr.

Mrs. John A. Dulany, WSCS president, presided at the meeting. Chairmen of standing committees reviewed activities of their various departments for the past three months and made out quarterly reports at the meeting. It was announced that Mrs. R. F. Hurt will present the program at the regular meeting of the society on Jan. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rozelle have as guests this week his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rozelle, and family of Sylacauga, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schroder, accompanied by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Smith and daughters of Narberth, Pa., who are their house guests, are visiting friends in St. Petersburg this week.

New Years Dance At Elks Lodge Friday, Dec. 31

A New Year Eve Dance will be held by the Pahokee Elks Lodge Friday Night, December 31st, from 10:00 p. m. till 1:30. The orchestra will be "The Beach, Combers"—Really good music, favors, noise makers, numerous door prizes, and all the holiday trimmings. This dance will be a benefit for the Harry-Anna Crippled Children's Home. Tickets will be \$5.00 per couple and \$3.00 single. Extra escorted ladies will be free. During intermission the drawing will be held for the Harry-Anna Crippled Children's Home Benefit Raffle.

Final Preparations Made For Opening Of State Fair, Tampa

TAMPA—Final preparations are being made for the grand opening of the Florida State Fair, world's largest Winter agricultural exposition, on Tuesday, February 1, featuring the greatest number of exhibits in its history.

Cash awards to exhibitors will range from 10 to 25 per cent higher than the premiums listed last year at such big expositions as Minnesota, Iowa, Illinois and Ohio state fairs.

Fair officials said the generous cash offering will be made as an inducement for Florida livestock men to pick their best animals and bring them to the fair for the benefit of thousands of Northern visitors.

Twelve Florida counties have announced they will present exhibits this year. Each county will have booths with 60-foot frontages in main exhibition halls. The counties are Volusia, Highlands, Indian River, Pinellas, Hernando, Manatee, Polk, Pasco, Gadsden, Marion, Franklin and Hillsborough.

More than \$15,000 will be paid in premiums to the 12 counties exhibiting, General Manager P. T. Strider said.

Florida negroes, allotted their own exhibition hall, will present 10 large county and vocational agricultural exhibitions as a nucleus Marshall, teacher-trainer from Florida A. and M. College, announced.

Counties to be represented in the Negro exhibit include Marion, Columbia, Madison, Jefferson, Hillsborough, Hernando, Pasco, Sarasota and Manatee.

Mrs. Ramey Has Spaghetti Supper

Mrs. Geo. B. Ramey entertained at her home on Bacom Point Road Monday evening with a spaghetti dinner party honoring Jack Chiviges on his nineteenth birthday anniversary. Jack, a junior college student at Georgia Military Institute, is spending the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Chiviges.

Other guests were Payne Jackson, Murray Weeks, Richard Mole, Chandler McIlwain, David Ramey, Mrs. Peter Chiviges, Phoebe Ann Ramey and Geo. B. Ramey.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Evans

Funeral services for Mrs. Cora Lee Evans, 59, of Pahokee were held at the Pahokee First Methodist Church Tuesday at 2:30 p. m., with the Rev. Ralph Fuller, pastor of the Canal Point Methodist Church officiating.

Mrs. Evans, a resident of Pahokee for 20 years, died at her home on East Main Street Saturday at 1:45 following a long period of ill health.

She is survived by her husband, N. D. Evans, Pahokee; two sisters, Mrs. R. W. Singletary and Mrs. E. L. Garrett, Pahokee; three brothers, Sam L. and James M. Humphries, Pahokee and W. A. Humphries, Sr., Port Mayaca.

Palbearers were Clarence Maxwell, Leon Guthrie, L. I. Maloy, Edwin Rice, R. C. Broome and Dorsey Pugh.

Burial was at the Port Mayaca Cemetery. Berry's Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Race Horses Arrive Early At Track

SUNSHINE PARK—With more than 400 horses already on hand and quartered, Sunshine Park is rapidly assuming its pre-opening seasonal pitch. The recent cold wave in the Midwest and Eastern seaboard has speeded up the schedule of shipments South of thoroughbreds not expected until later.

The death last week of Justin Vincent "Jack" O'Conner, of Washington, presiding steward at Sunshine Park track for the last two seasons, and widely known in racing circles, was a shock to all connected with the track. He was busy with preparations for the opening of the track when he was taken ill a few weeks ago.

About 550 stalls will be filled prior to January. The balance of the total, 1111 spaces available, at the West Coast horse track, are being reserved for horses to be shipped from Tropical Park at the close of their season a week prior to the opening of the local track on January 26.

Sunshine Park officials are looking forward to a good season, due to the increased amount of interest in horse-racing on the West Coast, the increased number of visitors to this area and the large amount of advertising done in the North, calling attention to the many attractions on the West Coast of Florida.

Mrs. A. D. Bell and Mrs. Henry Byrd of Talladega, Ala., and Henry McArthur of Jacksonville arrived Tuesday for a visit with their mother, Mrs. Mary McArthur, and their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Seth W. Roberts, in Pahokee.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Chiviges and son, Jack, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angie Rizzo in Pompano this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Baker and daughter, Linda, returned to Gainesville Sunday after a week's visit with relatives in Pahokee and Canal Point.

Jan. 15 Deadline For Conservation Report

At a recent meeting of the Palm Beach County Agricultural Conservation Association officials were chosen for the coming year. Chosen as chairman was E. F. Froehlich of West Palm Beach. A. R. Harrington of Canal Point was chosen as vice chairman and R. L. Braddock of Belle Glade was named a member of the official group.

January 15, 1949, has been set as the final date for reporting crop performances under the conservation program. Farmers should take their invoices for fertilizer and cover crop seed to the office in the Sanders Building in Belle Glade to make their reports.

Southern Bell Telephone Allowed Temporary Increase

TALLAHASSEE—A temporary increase of about 5 per cent on all classes of service has been granted Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company by the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission.

The Commission's increase, effective January 1, was 60 per cent of \$2,600,000 additional state revenue which the company asked for in a petition for an overall increase of 11 per cent. The hike amounts to \$1,560,000 annually.

The company posted \$1,000,000 bond to provide for rebates of the difference, if any, between the temporary rates granted and the final commission-approved rates. Commissioner Richard A. Mack said that it will probably be "two or three months" before a final decision is reached.

In long hearings at Miami and Jacksonville, the company estimated it was losing \$5,000 daily under present rates.

Scout Officials Has Training Meeting

A round-table training session for scout officials and troop leaders of the North Glades District of the Gulf Stream Council of Boy Scouts was held in the recreation hall of the Pahokee First Methodist Church Monday night with T. S. Kirk, district chairman, presiding. A motion picture on scout training with emphasis on proper conduct at troop meetings and troop activities was shown by W. E. Nexsen of West Palm Beach; GSC assistant scout executive.

Prior to the roundtable discussion the scout officials and leaders enjoyed a dinner at the R&F cafe. Among others attending were Edward A. Jensen, Perry Duke, Rev. Carson T. Nowes, Rev. Ralph A. Fuller, Alton Jones and Charles Jones.

DONALD BURNS HURT BY FALL FROM CAR

Donald Burns, six-year-old son of Mrs. Benny Corbett of Canal Point, suffered severe abrasions and cuts on the head Tuesday when a door of the car in which he was riding flew open and he pitched headfirst on the pavement. He was taken to the Everglades Memorial Hospital for treatment.

Stuckey's Celery Packing House Destroyed By Fire

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed Stuckey's celery packing house at Cardwell Friday morning and threatened the larger Vandegrift-Williams packing plant which adjoins at the north.

The fire, which started at the southeast corner of the 40 by 120-foot building, was discovered by workmen at the Vandegrift-Williams plant shortly before 9 a. m. By the time fire-fighting units from Fire Departments and the Everglades Fire Control District had arrived at the scene the building was enveloped in flames. The building was filled with thousands of corn and celery crates and field boxes which created a furious blaze. All of these, as well as all other contents including complete celery packing equipment were lost with the building.

With the help of a northwest breeze and a wall which separated the two packing houses the firemen were able to save the Vandegrift-Williams plant which received no damage except at the separating wall, according to Marvin Levins, Pahokee fire chief. Hilton Jones received a painful cut on his hand while assisting the Pahokee volunteer firemen.

The destroyed building approximately 10 years old, was owned by the L. L. Stuckey Estate. It was closed at the time of the fire and has not been in operation for the past several months. It is reported that the building was partly covered but none of the contents was insured.

Magazine Carries Big Lake Story

Lake Okeechobee fishing has hit the limelight with a three-page story and picture spread in the current issue of Florida Wildlife, monthly publication of the State Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission.

The Okeechobee story is part of a series the publication has prepared describing famous fishing grounds throughout the state. Prepared by Charles H. Anderson, staff photographer—writer, it graphically describes this area's famous bass, bream and speckled perch fishing.

The story points out that although "Okeechobee doesn't have the biggest bass in the world, it has more of them than any other place in the state—or the world for that matter."

Florida Wildlife reaches more than 13,000 Florida and out-of-state sportsmen.

Mrs. W. H. Rogers and daughter and Mrs. G. H. Tucker visited Mrs. Rogers' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Talton Joyce, in Vero Beach Tuesday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Rogers' mother, Mrs. Maxine Joyce, who spent Christmas there.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Boe and sons were guests over the weekend of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, in Winter Haven.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By Russell Kay)

Switching our salutations from "Merry Christmas" to "Happy New Year," we welcome the arrival of another Babe that carries a number instead of a name, "1949".

The kind of a year it turns out to be for Florida, the nation and the world depends to a large extent on the kind of thinking and action you and I and a lot of other individuals indulge in during the next 365 days.

If as individuals we accept the New Year as an opportunity to make our world a better place to live, if we carry over from day to day the spirit of good-will and kindness so prevalent during the brief holiday period, become genuinely interested in the welfare of others as well as ourselves, we can realize as never before the "Happy" year we so glibly shout about on the stroke of the mystic hour.

If we carry into the New Year the same hate and tolerance, the same greed and selfishness, then it will just be "another year" as far as we are concerned. And probably no as happy a year as the one just past.

If we face the New Year with hearts that are burdened with fears and doubts we will spread these destructive forces to so influence others that we will actually bring upon ourselves and the world the dire results those doubts and fears have imaged in our troubled minds.

During these last few days of the old year is a good time to stop and count our change. As bad as situations are, they could still be worse. Worrying won't improve them any. Their solution can only be found through the exercise of Faith and Courage. Peace of mind cannot be bought over the counter, nor can it be achieved by the exercise of force and power.

We are tempted to believe that as individuals we are powerless. Forgetting that our leadership is made up of individuals, men like ourselves, who are influenced by the thoughts and actions of others. Discounting the influence that we as individuals possess, we fail to use it.

While your individual sphere of influence or mine may be small, it nevertheless is part of a gigantic pattern. Our thoughts and actions, whether we admit it or not, affect the thinking and action of others.

If as we go about our daily tasks we do so with Courage and Faith in our hearts, if we spread good-will and cheer, join with our neighbors to advance the welfare of all and conscientiously do the best we can to perform our given work to the best of our ability, we will find many rough spots on life's highway have been smoothed for us.

Fear and Doubt can only be overcome by Faith and Courage. Industry is imperative to progress. We will realize Abundance only when we do our part faithfully and well in its creation.

The Golden Rule is as effective today as it ever was, and if we will use it to measure our thoughts and actions from day to day we will generate a force so powerful that no evil can hold against it.

We can, if we choose, talk ourselves into a war or a depression just as we can think ourselves into illness and mental turmoil. It has been demonstrated that if enough people stop an individual on the street and tell him how ill he looks, even though he may be in perfect health, it will not be long before he is really sick.

By the same token, if we go about with long faces and talk depression and hard times it will not

be long before we will find ourselves up to our necks in one of our own making.

In Florida today we have many problems that must be solved. If as individuals we reach a determination to find the answers and join with our friends and neighbors in working them out retaining our Faith and Courage, we can do so.

Most of our difficulties arise from distrust and misunderstanding. But there are always some points on which we all agree and if we will use those points to start with tackling the others one at a time in a spirit of true cooperation, we can always work them out.

Let's face the New Year with strong hearts and a determination to find the answers to our problems by working together in confidence, unselfishly, with the welfare of all as our object. If we can do this we will have nothing to fear and 1949 will indeed prove a HAPPY year.

Plans Made For Palm Beach County Exposition Mar. 3-12

The Fourth Annual Palm Beach County Exposition will be held at Morrison Field March 3rd to 12th excluding the Sunday, according to information released today by R. D. Hill and John Stetson, Chairman of the Industrial Committees of the West Palm Beach Chamber of Commerce and Palm Beach County Resources Development Board, who co-sponsor the annual affair.

Since the release of building by the Army to the County there are now available at Morrison Field in the northeast section on Belvedere, two adjoining buildings that provide a floor space of 35,000 square feet. "The total floor space is double the capacity of all seven buildings used in the Exposition last year and will allow all activity under one roof," said R. D. Hill Co-Chairman, who has pioneered the Exposition since its inception. "We will increase not only the number of exhibits, but will increase the quality and scope of exhibits and with the cooperation of the public we can equal any show on the East Coast of Florida this year," he continued. "Over one quarter of the entire space has already been applied for by exhibitors and we anticipate no trouble in selling the manufacturers, distributors and dealers that we can provide them the largest audience in the County to see their products. Any businessman who has a competitive product or service to offer residents or tourists can find no better medium of display than through the Exposition."

Mr. John Stetson, Co-Chairman, will use his experience as an architect to elaborate the surroundings at the Exposition, and attempt to foster interest by our neighboring countries to the South. It is hoped that one or more will be represented by an exhibit here this year. "The type of entertainment this year will be brief, but of high character," he said, "because we intend to book professional talent of national renown. Without question," he added, "this will be the largest and best Exposition that the people of the County have been privileged to see." The Chairman also announced that W. Karl Latons, Managing Director of the Exposition last year, will continue in the same capacity for the 1949 program. Mr. Latons is well qualified in this work, having handled Expositions for Kiwanis in the East, and is well known for his organizational work in Civic Music, Kiwanis, and many other projects, here and in the East, in which he has met with qualified success.

Headquarters have been opened in the lobby of The Hotel George

Washington by Mr. Latons and his staff to handle the preliminary work and applications for space. "Any concern may apply for space," Mr. Latons said, "that manufacturers, distributors or is a dealer in commodities that are produced or used by people of this County. The Committee reserves the right to bring in products or exhibits from outside the County only when they feel it will add to the education and enjoyment of the public. By this I mean educational exhibits promoted through State agencies or products of foreign countries that do not conflict with those of our local exhibitors."

Full committees will shortly be announced to handle the promotional and functional activities of the Exposition and will include many prominent businessmen of the County. The respective managers of the co-sponsors, E. F. Stumpf and Ralph Blank, form the steering committee together with Mr. Hill, Mr. Stetson and Mr. Latons.

Palm Beach County Commissioners are co-operating directly and through Col. Hickam and his staff at the field to have the huge buildings and the parking areas ready for the event.

The Exposition is sponsored by the Chamber and RDB as a service to its members and the industry of the County. In event the Exposition proves profitable all monies after the expenses will be used to improve facilities each year in order to establish a permanent annual Exposition.

Bill Elam will return Sunday to Emory University, Atlanta, Ga., after a holiday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Elam, in Canal Point.

G. Lawton Sims and children, Louise, Jane and Buddy, were called to Richland, Ga., Tuesday night by the death of Mrs. Sims' mother, Mrs. Alston. Mrs. Sims, who was called to Richland last week by the critical illness of her mother, was at the bedside when her mother passed away. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Jack Chiviges will return to Milledgeville, Ga., Sunday to resume his studies at Junior college, Georgia Military Institute, after spending the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Chiviges.

Mr. and Mrs. Audie F. Hooks, Jr., spent the holiday weekend with his parents in Miami.

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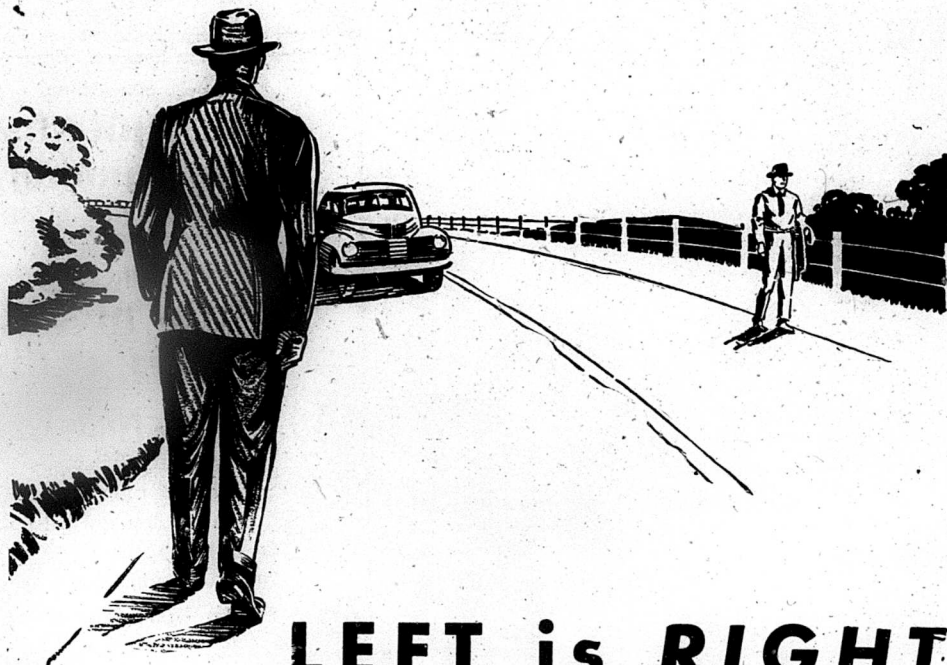
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There is plenty of reason for this. Last year for every person killed facing traffic three were killed walking with traffic. 24 Floridians lost their lives and 33 were injured walking the wrong way instead of facing oncoming cars. For every daytime fatality there were 4 deaths during the dusk and dark hours. Six more people lost their lives merely standing in the road.

Never assume you are safe when walking on the highways—many times you are hard to see. Then, too, the despicable hit and run driver is still at large—his numbers and his victims increasing. In the first six months of 1946, 78 hit-and-run accidents were recorded in Florida and 16 were killed by these car cowards.

So remember for your own sake—on highways, walk to the left facing traffic—be alert to danger—be alive tomorrow.

Mr. Motorist—



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Funeral Services For Mrs. Garrett

Mrs. Grace Garrett, 56, wife of the late J. W. Garrett, died at her home in Brooksville, Fla., Sunday Dec. 19. She was stricken with a heart attack while attending church and died two hours later.

Survivors include four sons and two daughters, one of the daughters being Mrs. J. W. Strickland, former Canal Point resident now living in West Palm Beach. Funeral services were held in Brooksville on Dec. 22.

Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Clause will have as dinner guests New Year's day their sons-in-laws and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Folds and children of Sanford and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Harris and daughter of Belle Glade.

Mr. and Mrs. Inman W. Weeks are guests this weekend of her mother, Mrs. R. A. Mole, in Lulu Fla.

Mrs. Ruby Chaney had as dinner guests Christmas day her sons and daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elick Chaney and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Chaney, and families of Homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Aldridge and son, Keith, have returned to Gainesville after a 10-day visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McCurdy, in Pahokee.

Mr. and Mrs. George Riddle of Abington, Va., are guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riddle, in Pahokee.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Johnson and family have moved from Pahokee to make their home in West Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lindsay and daughter, Joyce, are spending the holidays with relatives in Tennessee.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

"GOD" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, January 2.

The Golden Text is: "As for God, his way is perfect; the word of the Lord is tried; he is buckler to all them that trust in him."

"For who is God, save the Lord? and who is a rock, save our God?"

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "O Lord, thou hast searched me, and known thy spirit? or whether shall I flee from thy presence? . . . If I take the wings of the morning, and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea; Even there shall thy hand lead me, and thy right hand shall hold me" (Psalms 139:1, 7, 9, 10).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "GOD, The great I AM; the all-knowing, all seeing, all acting; all-wise, all-loving, and eternal; Principle; Mind; Soul; Spirit; Life; Truth; Love; all substance; intelligence" (387:5).

Bushnell Bank Is Robbed Of \$20,000

BUSHNELL — Three swarthy bandits robbed the Florida Bank here of about \$20,000, last Saturday, after forcing bank employees to lie on the bank floor. The three men who hid their facial features behind big dark glasses scooped up most of the money from tellers' cages. They got a little from the bank vault which was open.

They made their getaway in an auto parked near the bank. Mrs. W. M. Baldee, Florida's only woman sheriff, said no one was waiting in the car. The bank is a member of the Florida National (duPont) group.

Woodyard - Gibson

Miss Betty Woodyard, daughter of Mrs. S. A. Nall of Bryant, became the bride of James H. Gibson of Canal Point, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gibson of Thomasville, Ga., at a candlelight ceremony in the Canal Point Baptist Church Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 7:30 p. m.

Vows for the double ring ceremony were read by Rev. E. Elmo Scoggin, pastor of the church, as the couple stood before the altar which was lighted with white cathedral tapers in double candelabra and decorated with white gladioli, tuberoses and fern against a background of potted palms.

Mrs. J. W. Mullis, vocal soloist, sang "The Sweetest Story Ever Told," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. H. C. Graham who also played the traditional wedding marches.

The bride, given in marriage by her stepfather, S. A. Nall, wore a full-length white slipper satin gown trimmed with chantilly lace. The fitted bodice had a round neckline with lace insert, bertha collar and callously fashioned sleeves. It was fastened at the back from neckline to bustle with a row of tiny satin-covered buttons. The full-length illusion veil, edged with chantilly lace, was held by a lace tiara. She carried a bouquet of white carnations centered with a white orchid and tied with white satin ribbons.

The gowns of the attendants were patterned on the same lines as that of the bride with head-dresses of taffeta net. Mrs. Audie Hooks, Jr., matron of honor, was in gray taffeta and carried a bouquet of red gladioli. Mrs. Melvin Spooner, bridesmatron, and Miss Dorothy Chastain and Miss Jane Sharp, bridesmaids, wore royal blue taffeta gowns and carried bouquet of red gladioli. Suzanne Chastain and Sylvia Cross, flower girls, wore light blue taffeta gowns and carried flower baskets filled with pink rose petals.

Mrs. Nall, the bride's mother, chose an aqua gown and a white azalea corsage and Mrs. Gibson, the bridegroom's mother, a champagne gown with red azalea corsage.

William Gibson of Tampa was his brother's best man. Johnny Smith was ringbearer. Philip Cross and Dan Mathis lighted the candles. Roderick Gibson, brother of the bridegroom, Audie Hooks, Jr., and George Sims acted as ushers.

Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Nall were hosts at a reception at Cypress Lodge, Port Mayaca. Miss Betty Hawthorne was in charge of the bride's book. Mrs. William Gibson and Mrs. T. Smith presided at the punch bowl while Mrs. W. S. Cross served portions from a large wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

The bride changed to an aqua gaberline suit with fuchsia scarf and black accessories and a corsage of white orchids before the couple left on a brief wedding trip to the West Coast following which they will make their home in Canal Point where he is associated with the R. L. (Sam) Chastain company.

Out-Of-Town Guest Attend Wedding

Out-of-town guests who attended the Gibson-Woodyard wedding at the Canal Point Baptist Church Tuesday evening included:

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Cross, Sr., Mrs. E. T. Pellicer and Mrs. H. Doyle Dranyon, Clewiston; Mrs. E. F. Gardner, Jacksonville; A. P. McCord, Jr., Pat McCord, Coral Gables; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cross and family, J. H. Cross and family, Fort Lauderdale; Emily Jane Sharp, Orlando; Mr. and Mrs. Braxton Gibson, Sr., and daughter, Sarah Dell, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McCord, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Griffiths, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Palin, Roderick Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gibson, Thomasville, Ga.; Betty Hawthorne, Winter Garden; Mr. and Mrs. Perry Figuelette, Haines City, Mr. and Mrs. William Gibson, Tampa.



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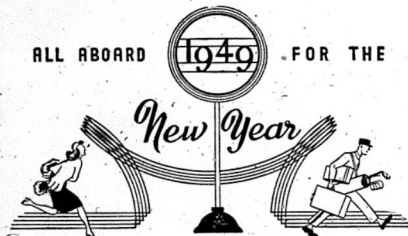


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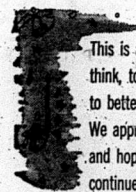


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Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Miller

If you like comedy, and I'm sure you do, you will really go for this show that is to be screened at the Prince Theatre, this coming Sunday-Monday. The show is "Miss Tatlock's Millions," starring John Lund, Wanda Hendrix, Barry Fitzgerald and Monte Wooley. It also has a large featured cast, headed by Ika Chase, Robert Stack, Dorothy Stickney and Elizabeth Patterson.

The Plot? Well, John Lund, poor but nervy, meets Wanda Hendrix, rich and curvey. She has 20,000,000 bucks . . . and he has 20,000,000 angles. In order to turn them into cash he has to pose as her long lost brother. Well . . . Brother . . . that's where the fun begins!

Bing Crosby says: "How funny can you get? It should have happened to Hope." Bob Hope says: "Here's a picture that has almost as many laughs as Crosby has dollars."

Well . . . you be the judge this coming Sunday-Monday.

See you at the movies—Mal.

Mrs. M. D. Logan and son, Edward Logan, will return today to their home in Wetumpka, Ala., after a visit here with their sons-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dobrow.

NOTICE

TALLAHASSEE, FLA.

December 21, 1948

The Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission is receiving bids for a grazing lease on 52,000 acres of land under fence in one block located south of the Indiantown-Jupiter road in Palm Beach County.

For particulars contact the Federal Aid Division, Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, Tallahassee, Florida.

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Classified Ads

FOR SALE: New and used Willys Jeeps. Walter Ashley Garage in Belle Glade, Phone 126. J11c

SEPTIC tanks and grease traps cleaned and repaired. Phone 3872, Bob Douthit, Pahokee. M17c

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FOR SALE: Two oil stoves, one paint sprayer, two toilet bowls. J. K. Royton, 1 mile north of Canal Point. D3-2tp.

FOR SALE: One new Pontiac-3 Streamliner 4 sedan, Black at Regular dealers price. Phone 127, Belle Glade. D2-4tp

FOR SALE: 50 ft. lots in Bailey's Subdivision No. 3, Just South of Joe Tom Boynton Home, 4 blocks from Post Office, For cash each \$500. Phone 70, C. A. Bailey, Belle Glade. D17-4tc

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VETERANS NOTIFIED

ABOUT INSURANCE

Veterans whose National Service Life Insurance term policies will start expiring on or after October 8, 1948 will receive prior notice from the Veterans Administration.

The notice will be sent 2 months before the expiration date of the original policies. This will give the veterans time to convert their term insurance to a permanent NSLI plan or renew their term insurance for an additional 5-year period. Renewals may be made without a physical examination, but at a higher premium rate based on the Veteran's attained age at the time of renewal.

All veterans who plan to renew or convert their term insurance should contact your local veterans Service Office located in the City Hall in Pahokee and the Sanders Building, Belle Glade.

HYMN SING ANNOUNCED AT CANAL POINT METHODIST

Gauldin Harrington will direct the 9:45 a. m. Organ-chime transcription concert.

All are cordially invited to join one of the 13 organized Sunday School classes. Lessons for the first six months of 1949 are a chronological study of the life of Christ. Why not enroll this Sunday.

The January Communion service at 10:50 with the message entitled, "The Memorial Meal of Christ."

Our Youth Fellowship request 6:45 to 7:15 for a combination devotional and business meeting. This will necessitate returning to the 7:30 evening service hour.

Sermon topic of the pastor in the 7:30 service, "First-hand Religion". All are invited to remain for the Hymn Sing at the Sunday School Building following the service. Light refreshments.

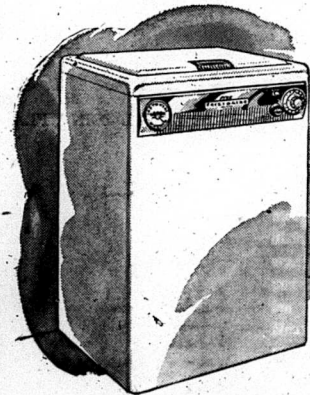
The WSCS will hold their regular January meeting at the S. S. Building at 2:00 p. m. Tuesday. Cars leave S. S. Building for Lake Harbor Sub-district meeting at 7:15 Tuesday evening. A record caravan is anticipated.

"The Rural Church and the Land" will be the title of the second lecture of the Pastor's six-lesson Study Course given at 7:30 on Wednesday. Choir rehearsal follows at 8:30.

Carol Carpenter celebrated her birthday anniversary with a slumber party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Carpenter, on Thursday evening of last week. Guests were Stella Barnes, Donna Gail Jensen, Lovda Williams, Ann Thompson, Frances Wilson and Barbara Vertommen.

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Births

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thomas Goffe of Pahokee announce the birth of a son, Harold Thomas, Jr., at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, Dec. 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cecil Blakeney of West Palm Beach announce the birth of a son, Ronald Douglas, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, Dec. 25.

Personal

Milton Carpenter and his house guests, Mrs. George Lawton and daughter, Miss Janet Lawton, were visitors in Clewiston Tuesday.

H. C. Graham spent Christmas day with his brother in Orlando.

J. W. Wood and Miss Louise Saunders of Miami spent the holiday weekend in Pahokee with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Anderson had as dinner guests Christmas day their daughter, Miss Margaret Anderson, Lake City; also Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Firth and children of Lakeland, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Staples of Coral Gables and W. Christensen of Denmark. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson of Illinois and Mrs. Fred Thompson of Lake Worth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Henderson and daughter, Gloria, visited his mother and other relatives in Miami over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Holman had as guests the first of the week her father, Gaston Fisher; also her aunts, the Misses Mary and Violet Putman, of Belmont, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Frasure, Jr., had as guests over the holiday weekend her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf, of Tampa.

Mrs. Browning Roach of Maryville, Tenn., who arrived last week with her family to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. R. York, in Pahokee, is recuperating

IN THE COUNTY JUDGE'S COURT IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA

No. -----
In re. Estate of }
LUTHER L. KNIGHT }
Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
You and each of you are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you, or either of you, may have against the estate of Luther L. Knight, deceased, late of said county, to the county judge of Palm Beach county, Florida, at his office in the court house at West Palm Beach, Florida, within eight calendar months from the date of the first publication of this notice. Each claim or demand must be in writing and must state the place of residence and post office address of the claimant and must be sworn to by the claimant, his agent or his attorney, or the same will become void according to law.

This 23 day of December, 1948.
T. W. Knight, Administrator of the Estate of
Luther L. Knight deceased.
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from an emergency appendectomy performed at St. Mary's Hospital, West Palm Beach, on Christmas night.

Dr. Burton F. Austin, director of the Palm Beach County health unit, has been invited to appear as guest speaker at the January meeting of the Canal Point Parent-Teacher Association to be held in the school auditorium Monday, Jan. 3, at 8 p. m. Mrs. D. L. Friend, president, will preside at the business session.

Mr. and Mrs. Leel Lence had as guests through the holidays Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wetherington of Havana, Cuba.

Mrs. J. R. York, and her son-in-law, Browning Roach, and his sons, Barry "Dee" and Ben Dick, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Beardsley in Clewiston Tuesday. Barry remained for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Morris had as their guest through the holidays his sister, Miss Helen Morris of Sarasota.

Jean Friend, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis L. Friend, is recuperating from a tonsilectomy performed at Good Samaritan Hospital, West Palm Beach, Tuesday. Jean has been ill at the hospital there for several days but was able to spend Christmas at home.

Miss Arlene Batchelor, who has been a patient at Jackson Memorial Hospital, Miami, for several weeks, receiving treatment for polio disability, has been transferred to the Everglades Memorial Hospital for a couple of weeks so

that she can visit her mother, Mrs. Ollie Batchelor, and friends here through the holidays before returning to the Miami hospital for further treatment and operations.

Troy Waggoner is spending the holidays with his wife and children in Van Buren, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Chard of Greenville, Ky., are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Spooner, in Pahokee.

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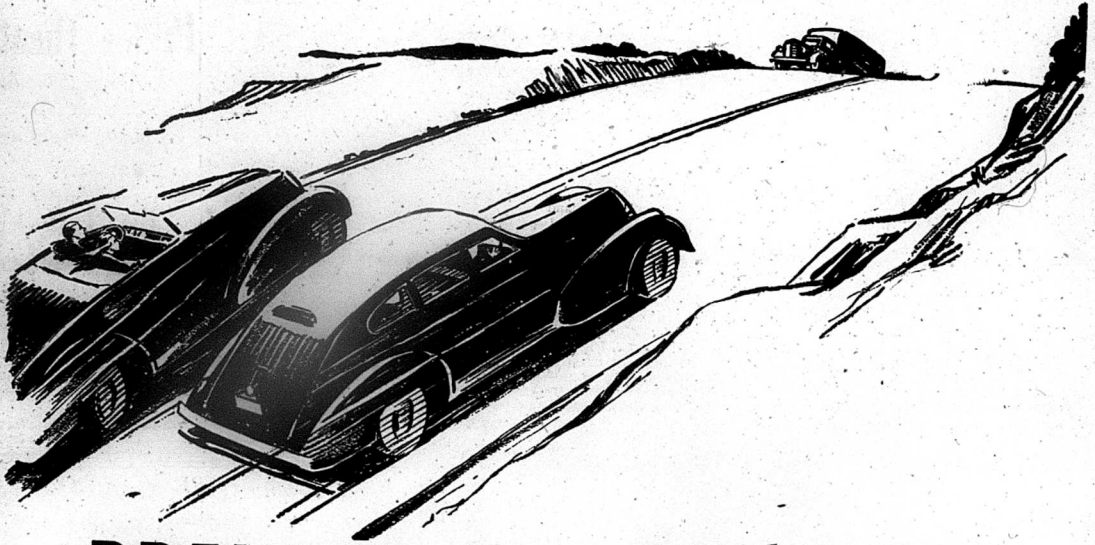
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Mr. Pedestrian—



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To All Our Friends

There are more riches in the simple, joyous arrival of a New Year than any golden coffers can hold. We choose some of them for you in 1949—health, peace of mind, security and the love and respect of your friends. In short, a HAPPY NEW YEAR.

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— Paul Rardin — Owner, Publisher —

